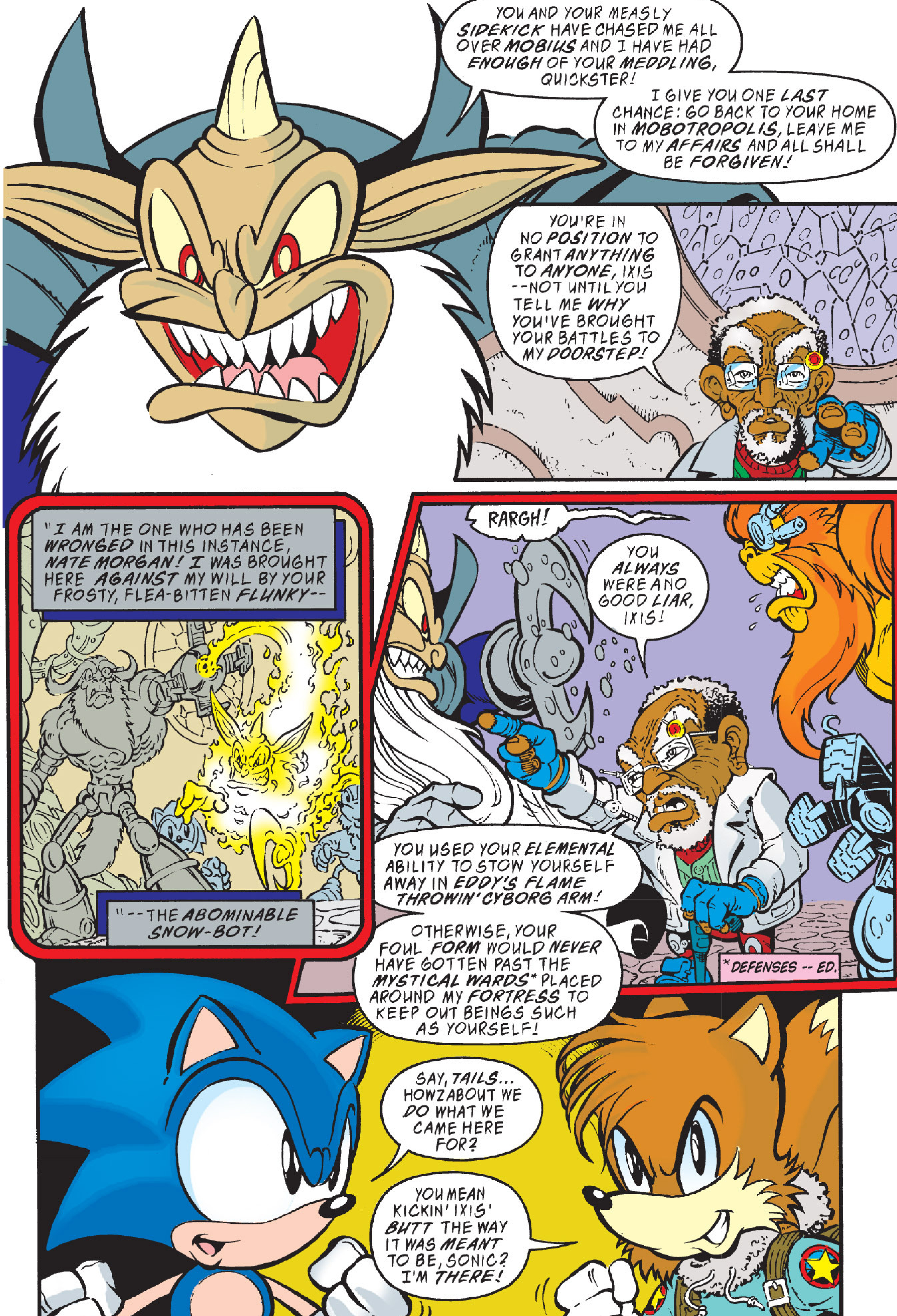
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THE PLANET MOBIUS WAS ONCE A VIRTUAL PARADISE UNTIL IT WAS CONQUERED BY THE EVIL DOCTOR ROBOTNIK! HIS TECHNOLOGICAL TYRANNY WOULD HAVE CONTINUED IF NOT FOR A HEROIC GROUP OF FREEDOM FIGHTERS WHO BANDED TOGETHER AND RESTORED ORDER TO THE KINGDOM OF ACORN! THE BRAVEST AMONG THEM IS A BLUE STREAK FILLED WITH THE MOST ATTITUDE GOING AROUND - - AND, WITHOUT A DOUBT, HE IS THE FASTEST THING ALIVE!
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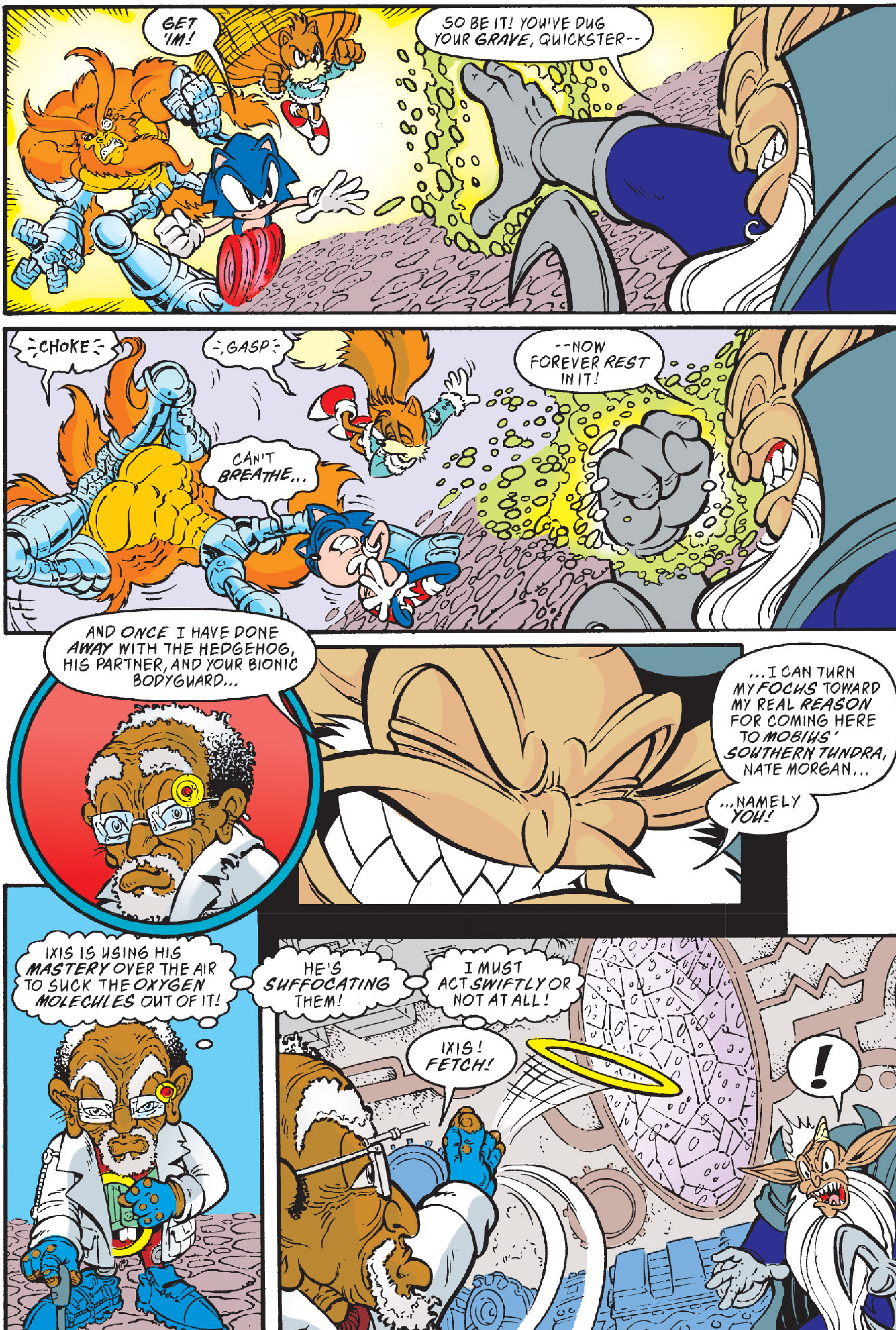


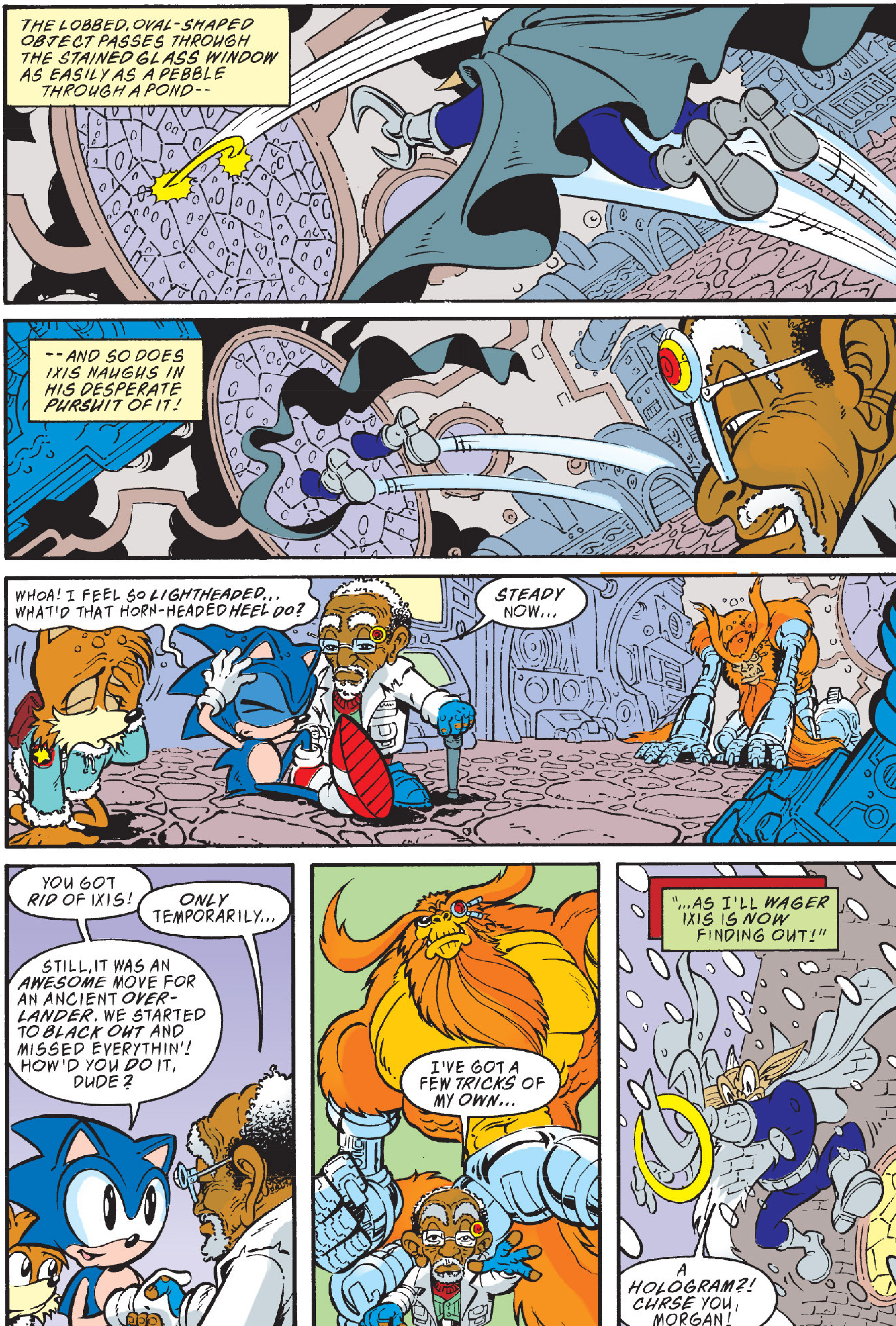


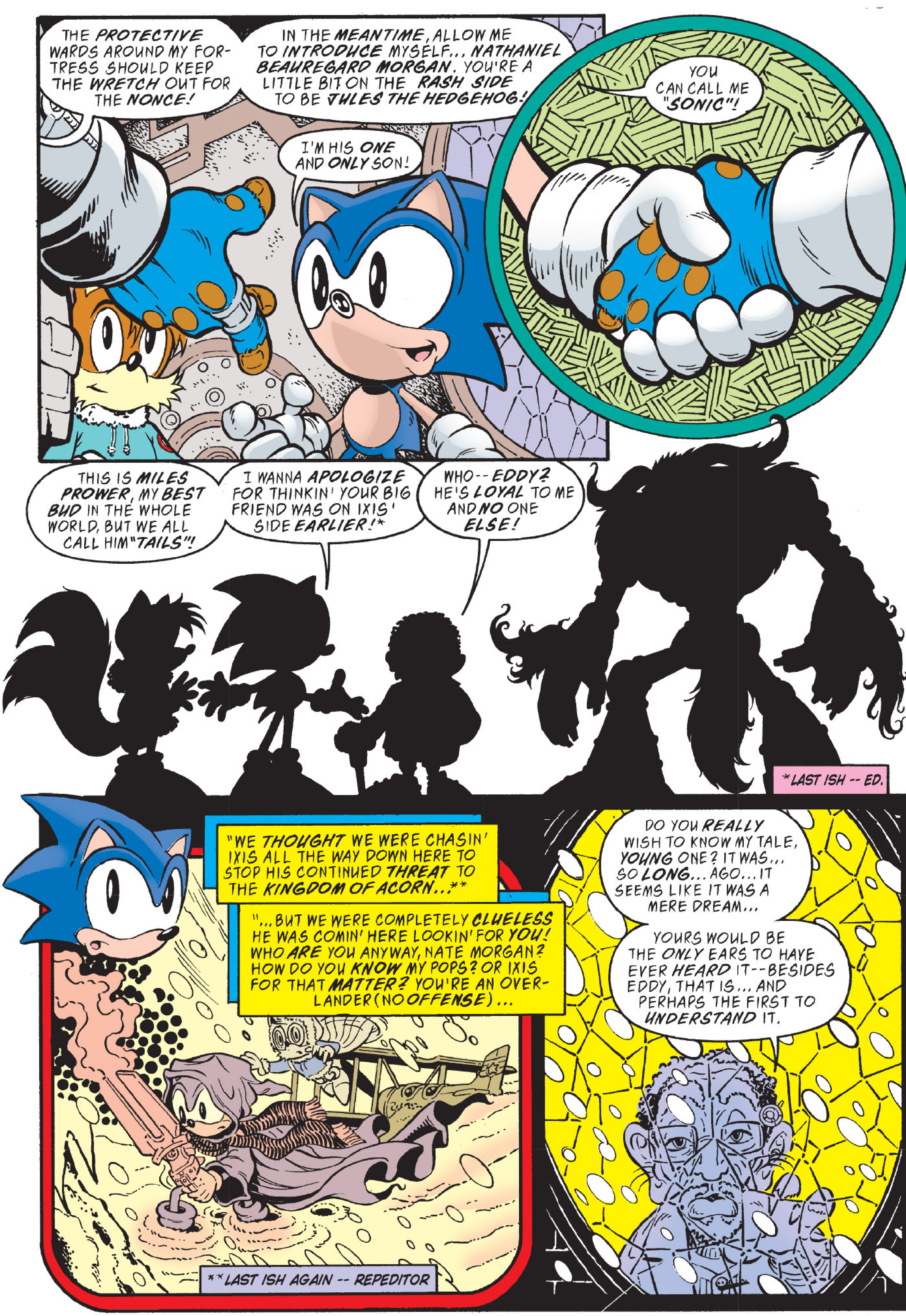
the fellowship of the rings
I GUESS IT WAS WISHFUL THINKING WHEN I ASSUMED YOU'D BEEN BURIED BY THAT AVALANCHE FOR GOOD!*
COME NOW, SONIC... DID YOU REALLY BELIEVE THAT SEVERAL TONS OF FALLING SNOW COULD AFFECT A SORCERER WHO, WITH A MERE GESTURE, CAN TURN HIS ENTIRE BODY TO EARTH, WIND, FIRE OR WATER?
NO, BUT THAT'S WHY IT'S CALLED 'WISHFUL' THINKING!
* SEE LAST ISSUE -- EDITOR
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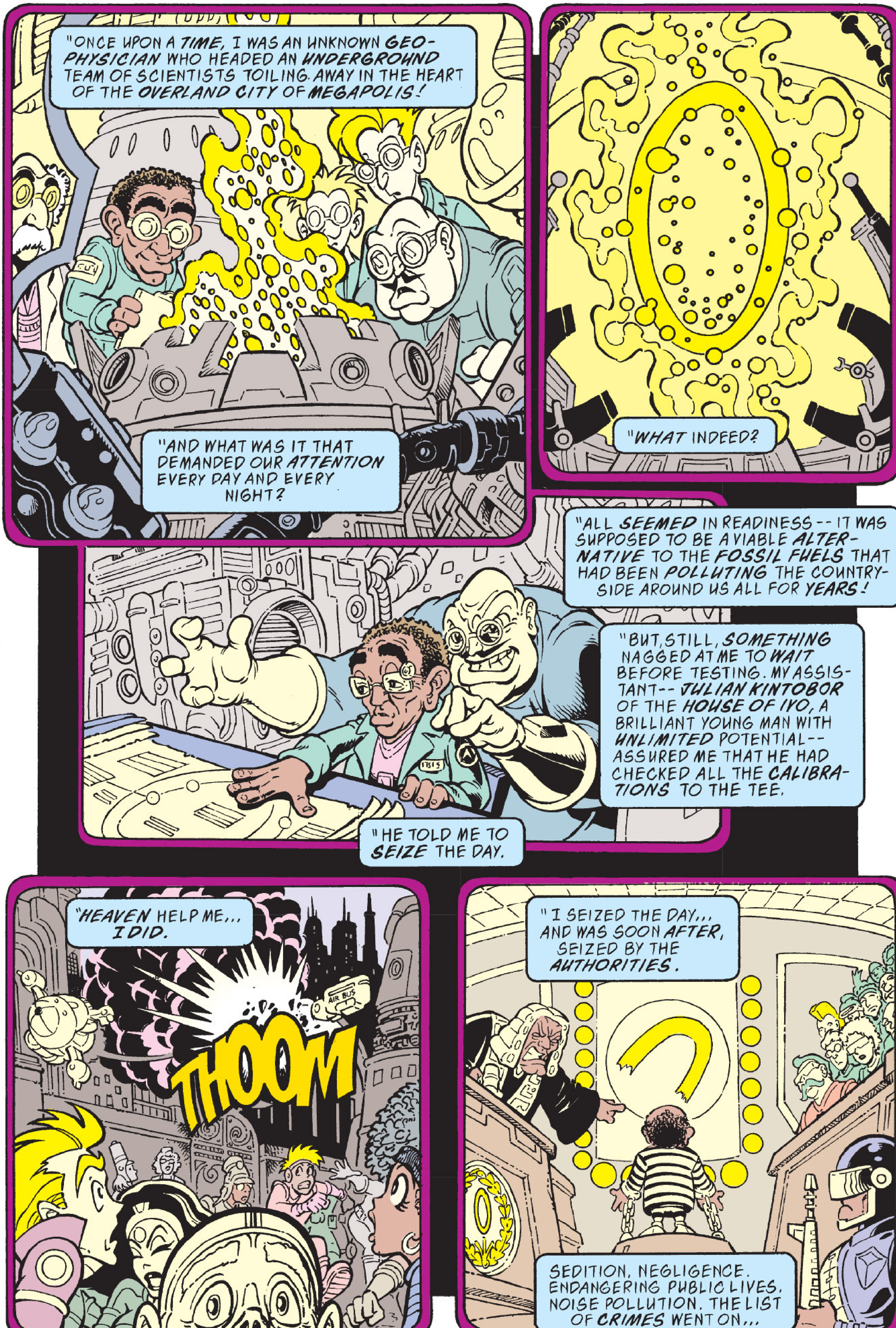


YOU AND YOUR MEASLY SIDEKICK HAVE CHASED ME ALL OVER MOBIUS AND I HAVE HAD ENOUGH OF YOUR MEDDLING, QUICKSTER!
I GIVE YOU ONE LAST CHANCE: GO BACK TO YOUR HOME IN MOBOTROPOLIS, LEAVE ME TO MY AFFAIRS AND ALL SHALL BE FORGIVEN!
YOU'RE IN NO POSITION TO GRANT ANYTHING TO ANYONE, IXIS --NOT UNTIL YOU TELL ME WHY YOU'VE BROUGHT YOUR BATTLES TO MY DOORSTEP!
"I AM THE ONE WHO HAS BEEN WRONGED IN THIS INSTANCE, NATE MORGAN! I WAS BROUGHT HERE AGAINST MY WILL BY YOUR FROSTY, FLEA-BITTEN FLUNKY--
"--THE ABOMINABLE SNOW-BOT!
RARGH!
YOU ALWAYS WERE A NO GOOD LIAR, IXIS!
YOU USED YOUR ELEMENTAL ABILITY TO STOW YOURSELF AWAY IN EDDY'S FLAME THROWIN' CYBORG ARM!
OTHERWISE, YOUR FOUL FORM WOULD NEVER HAVE GOTTEN PAST THE MYSTICAL WARDS* PLACED AROUND MY FORTRESS TO KEEP OUT BEINGS SUCH AS YOURSELF!
*DEFENSES -- ED.
SAY, TAILS... HOWZABOUT WE DO WHAT WE CAME HERE FOR?
YOU MEAN KICKIN' IXIS' BUTT THE WAY IT WAS MEANT TO BE, SONIC? I'M THERE!

GET 'IM!
SO BE IT! YOU'VE DUG YOUR GRAVE, QUICKSTER--
CHOKE
GASP
--NOW FOREVER REST IN IT!
CAN'T BREATHE...
AND ONCE I HAVE DONE AWAY WITH THE HEDGEHOG, HIS PARTNER, AND YOUR BIONIC BODYGUARD...
...I CAN TURN MY FOCUS TOWARD MY REAL REASON FOR COMING HERE TO MOBIUS' SOUTHERN TUNDRA, NATE MORGAN...
...NAMELY YOU!
IXIS IS USING HIS MASTERY OVER THE AIR TO SUCK THE OXYGEN MOLECULES OUT OF IT!
HE'S SUFFOCATING THEM!
I MUST ACT SWIFTLY OR NOT AT ALL!
IXIS! FETCH!
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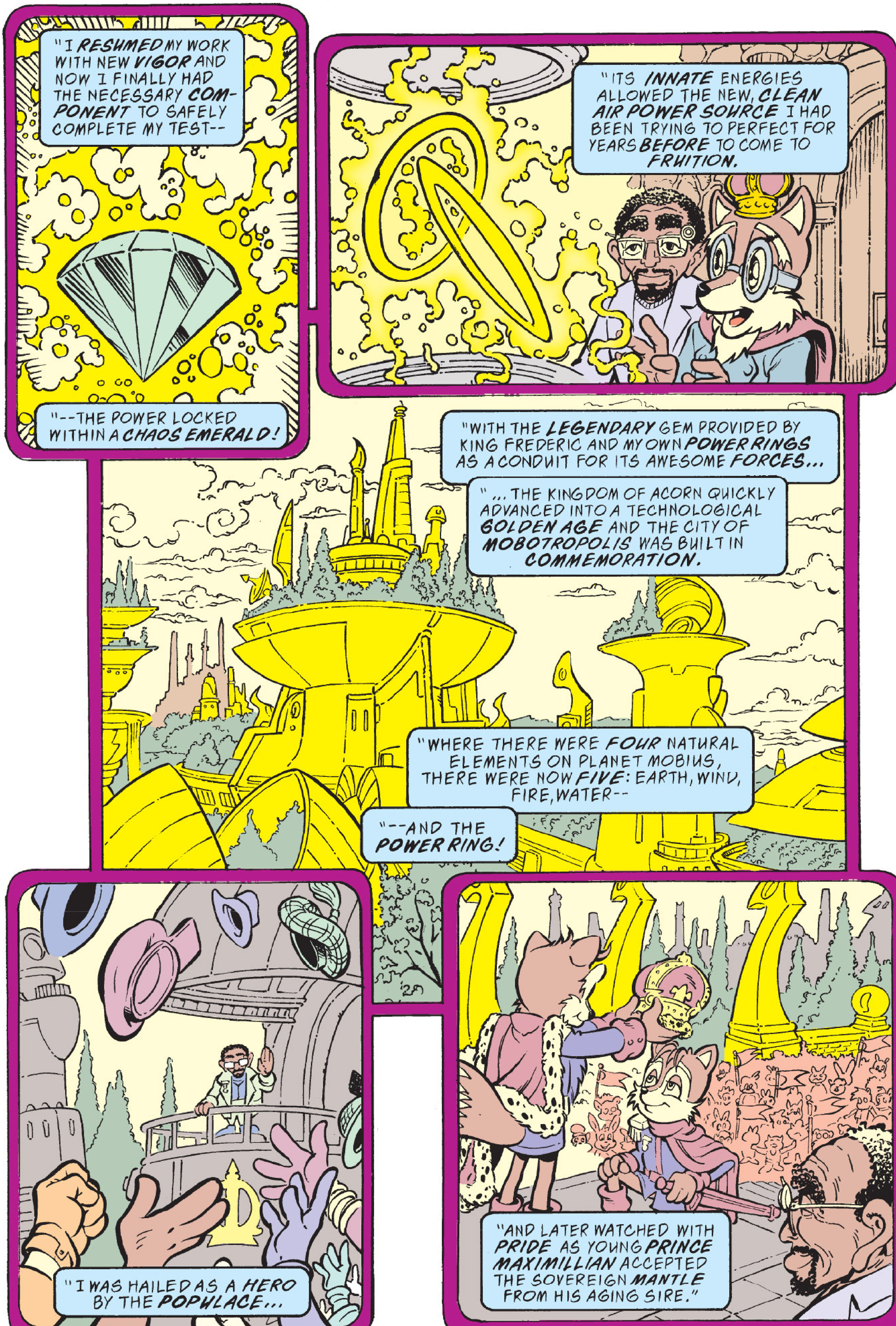

THE LOBBED, OVAL-SHAPED OBJECT PASSES THROUGH THE STAINED GLASS WINDOW AS EASILY AS A PEBBLE THROUGH A POND--
--AND SO DOES IXIS NAUGUS IN HIS DESPERATE PURSUIT OF IT!
WHOA! I FEEL SO LIGHTHEADED... WHAT'D THAT HORN-HEADED HEEL DO?
STEADY NOW...
YOU GOT RID OF IXIS!
ONLY TEMPORARILY...
STILL, IT WAS AN AWESOME MOVE FOR AN ANCIENT OVER-LANDER. WE STARTED TO BLACK OUT AND MISSED EVERYTHIN'! HOW'D YOU DO IT, DUDE?
I'VE GOT A FEW TRICKS OF MY OWN...
"...AS I'LL WAGER IXIS IS NOW FINDING OUT!"
A HOLOGRAM?! CURSE YOU, MORGAN!

THE PROTECTIVE WARDS AROUND MY FORTRESS SHOULD KEEP THE WRETCH OUT FOR THE NONCE!
IN THE MEANTIME, ALLOW ME TO INTRODUCE MYSELF... NATHANIEL BEAUREGARD MORGAN. YOU'RE A LITTLE BIT ON THE RASH SIDE TO BE JULES THE HEDGEHOG!
I'M HIS ONE AND ONLY SON!
YOU CAN CALL ME "SONIC"!
THIS IS MILES PROWER, MY BEST BUD IN THE WHOLE WORLD, BUT WE ALL CALL HIM "TAILS"!
I WANNA APOLOGIZE FOR THINKIN' YOUR BIG FRIEND WAS ON IXIS' SIDE EARLIER!*
WHO--EDDY? HE'S LOYAL TO ME AND NO ONE ELSE!
*LAST ISH -- ED.
"WE THOUGHT WE WERE CHASIN' IXIS ALL THE WAY DOWN HERE TO STOP HIS CONTINUED THREAT TO THE KINGDOM OF ACORN...**
"...BUT WE WERE COMPLETELY CLUELESS HE WAS COMIN' HERE LOOKIN' FOR YOU! WHO ARE YOU ANYWAY, NATE MORGAN? HOW DO YOU KNOW MY POPS? OR IXIS FOR THAT MATTER? YOU'RE AN OVERLANDER (NO OFFENSE)...
**LAST ISH AGAIN -- REPEDITOR
DO YOU REALLY WISH TO KNOW MY TALE, YOUNG ONE? IT WAS... SO LONG... AGO... IT SEEMS LIKE IT WAS A MERE DREAM...
YOURS WOULD BE THE ONLY EARS TO HAVE EVER HEARD IT--BESIDES EDDY, THAT IS... AND PERHAPS THE FIRST TO UNDERSTAND IT.


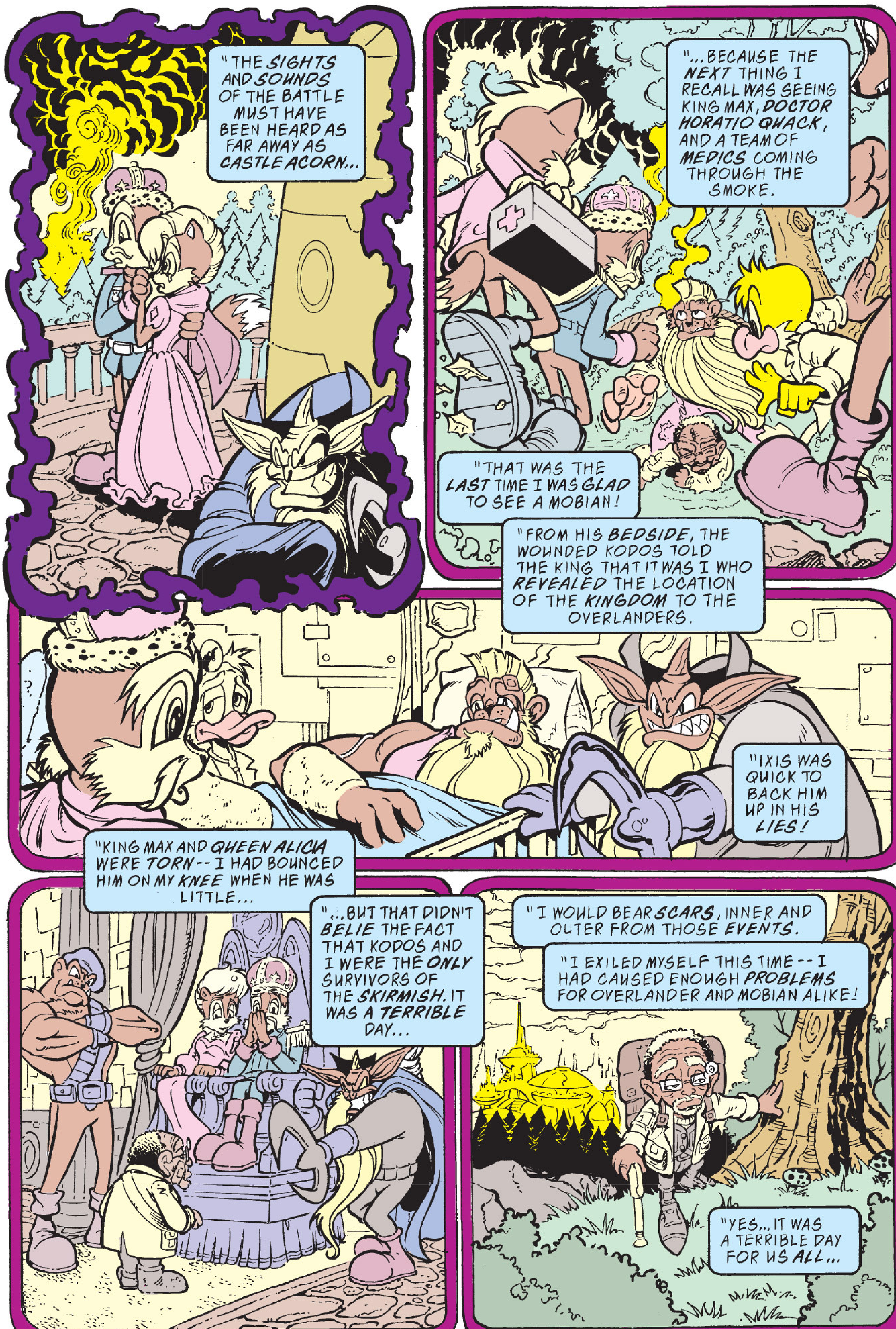
"ONCE UPON A TIME, I WAS AN UNKNOWN GEO-PHYSICIAN WHO HEADED AN UNDERGROUND TEAM OF SCIENTISTS TOILING AWAY IN THE HEART OF THE OVERLAND CITY OF MEGAPOLIS!
"AND WHAT WAS IT THAT DEMANDED OUR ATTENTION EVERY DAY AND EVERY NIGHT?
"WHAT INDEED?
"ALL SEEMED IN READINESS -- IT WAS SUPPOSED TO BE A VIABLE ALTER-NATIVE TO THE FOSSIL FUELS THAT HAD BEEN POLLUTING THE COUNTRY-SIDE AROUND US ALL FOR YEARS!
"BUT, STILL, SOMETHING NAGGED AT ME TO WAIT BEFORE TESTING. MY ASSIS-TANT-- JULIAN KINTOBOR OF THE HOUSE OF IVO, A BRILLIANT YOUNG MAN WITH UNLIMITED POTENTIAL-- ASSURED ME THAT HE HAD CHECKED ALL THE CALIBRA-TIONS TO THE TEE.
"HE TOLD ME TO SEIZE THE DAY.
"HEAVEN HELP ME... I DID.
AIR BUS
THOOM
"I SEIZED THE DAY... AND WAS SOON AFTER, SEIZED BY THE AUTHORITIES.
SEDITION. NEGLIGENCE. ENDANGERING PUBLIC LIVES. NOISE POLLUTION. THE LIST OF CRIMES WENT ON...

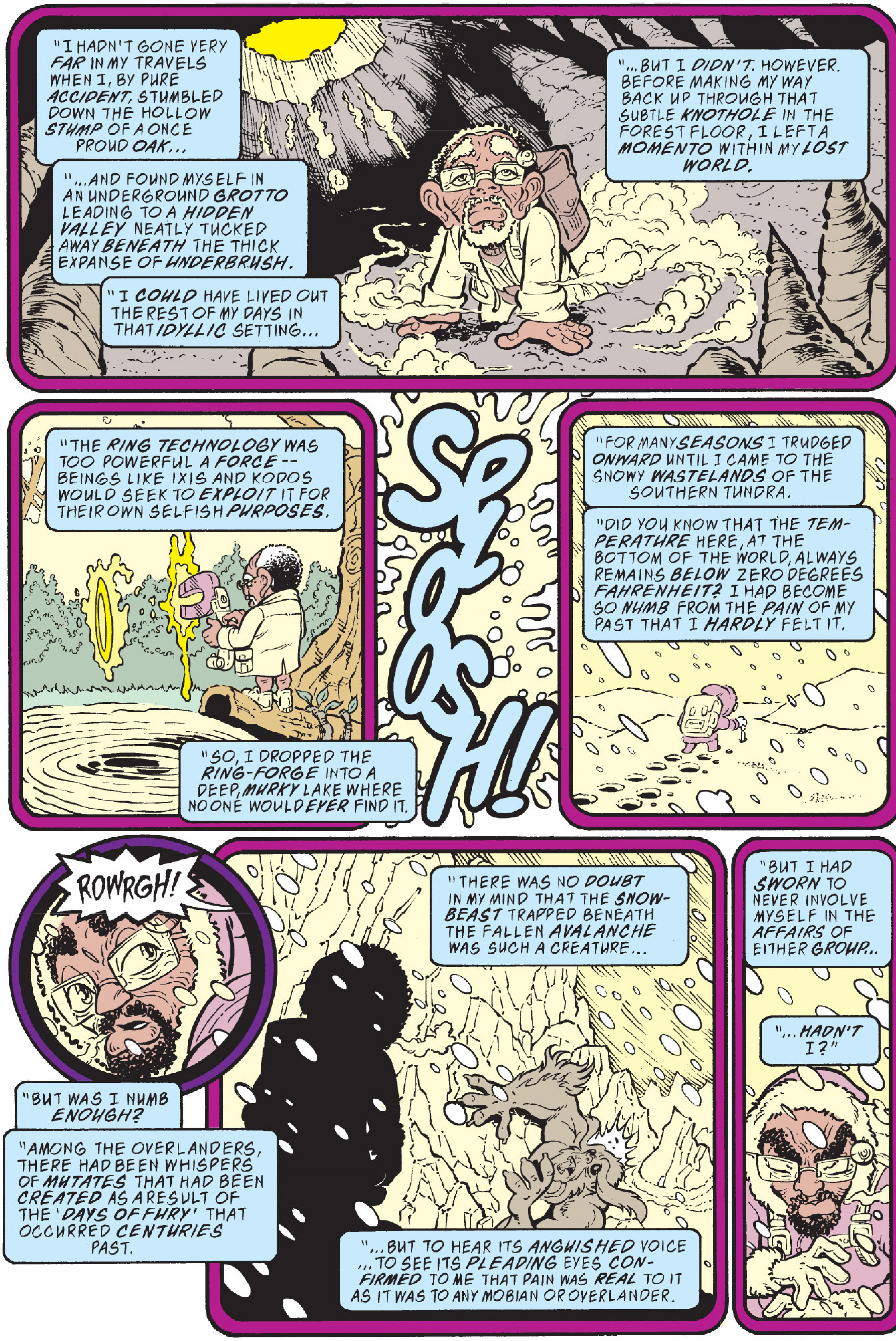

"IT WAS DECIDED THAT SINCE THERE WAS NO LOSS OF LIFE, I WAS TO BE BANISHED FROM OVERLAND FOREVER. ONLY FOREVER...
"IF I SURVIVED MY TREK THROUGH THE BADLANDS I RESOLVED MYSELF TO BEING KILLED BY THE ANTHROPOMORPHIC MOBIANS WHO OFTEN COME INTO CONFLICT WITH MY KIND.
"AS WITH JULIAN BEFORE I MADE A GROSS ERROR IN JUDGMENT.
"AND ALTHOUGH IT WOULD HAVE BEEN EASIER TO MEET ME WITH DISTRUST AS HIS ROYAL GUARD DID...
"...KING FREDERIC ACORN DID JUST THE OPPOSITE...
"...AND, INSTEAD EXTENDED HIS HAND IN FRIENDSHIP.
"THE KINGDOM OF ACORN WAS VERY DIFFERENT BACK THEN. UNLIKE WE OVERLANDERS, YOU MOBIANS BELIEVED IN THE PRESERVATION OF NATURE.
"IT WAS THE SAME REASON WHY THE KINGDOM HAD REMAINED IN A PRE-INDUSTRIAL STATE.
"WITH THE AWFUL MEMORY OF THE ACCIDENT IN OVERLAND CITY BEHIND ME, I FELT ONCE MORE AT PEACE WITH MYSELF.
"WHERE I HAD BEEN CAST OUT BY MY OWN PEOPLE, HERE I WAS ACCEPTED--EVEN AS A MEMBER OF THE ROYAL COURT.

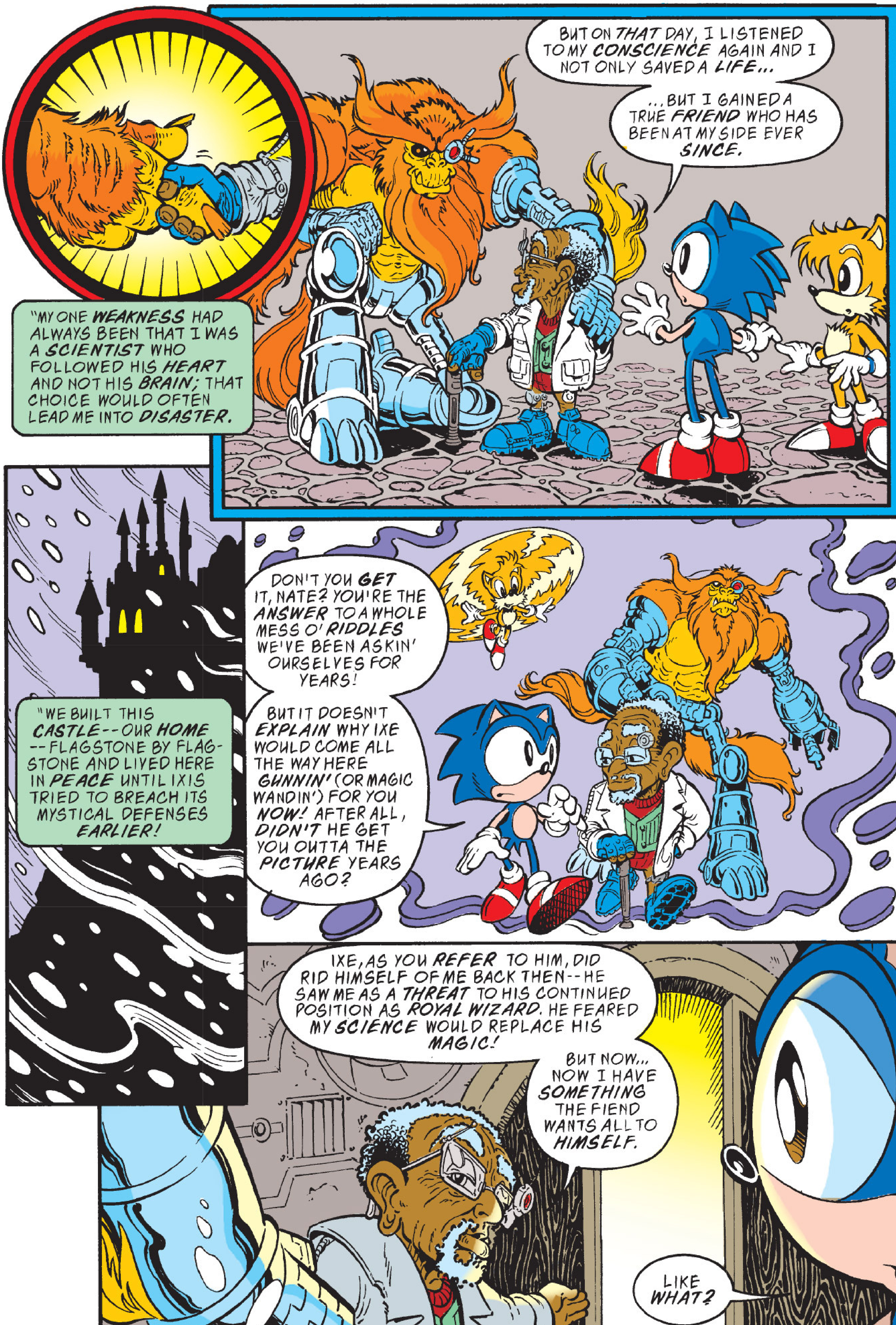

"I RESUMED MY WORK WITH NEW VIGOR AND NOW I FINALLY HAD THE NECESSARY COMPONENT TO SAFELY COMPLETE MY TEST--
"--THE POWER LOCKED WITHIN A CHAOS EMERALD!
"ITS INNATE ENERGIES ALLOWED THE NEW, CLEAN AIR POWER SOURCE I HAD BEEN TRYING TO PERFECT FOR YEARS BEFORE TO COME TO FRUITION.
"WITH THE LEGENDARY GEM PROVIDED BY KING FREDERIC AND MY OWN POWER RINGS AS A CONDUIT FOR ITS AWESOME FORCES...
"...THE KINGDOM OF ACORN QUICKLY ADVANCED INTO A TECHNOLOGICAL GOLDEN AGE AND THE CITY OF MOBOTROPOLIS WAS BUILT IN COMMEMORATION.
"WHERE THERE WERE FOUR NATURAL ELEMENTS ON PLANET MOBIUS, THERE WERE NOW FIVE: EARTH, WIND, FIRE, WATER--
"--AND THE POWER RING!
"I WAS HAILED AS A HERO BY THE POPULACE...
"AND LATER WATCHED WITH PRIDE AS YOUNG PRINCE MAXIMILLIAN ACCEPTED THE SOVEREIGN MANTLE FROM HIS AGING SIRE."


"NOW THE ENVIROMENTAL RING-MAKER, I SPENT MY TIME HONING THE FINEST YOUNG MINDS IN THE KINGDOM.
"I SEEM TO RECALL HAVING YOUR FATHER AND HIS BROTHER, CHARLES AS TWO OF MY FINEST STUDENTS, SONIC.
"ALL WAS WELL AT LAST...
"...OR SO I HAD FOOLISHLY BELIEVED.
"KING MAX HAD CERTAIN... ADVISORS WHO FELT THREATENED BY MY PRESENCE IN MOBOTROPOLIS.
"WHEN ONE OF THEM, THE ROYAL WIZARD, IXIS NAUGUS COULD NOT CONVINCE THE YOUNG MONARCH OF MY ALLEGED TRAITOROUS NATURE...
"...HE SOUGHT OUT OTHER ALLIES. GENERAL KODOS, HATED OVERLANDERS MORE THAN ANYONE IN MOBOTROPOLIS.
"FOR IXIS, WINNING HIM OVER WAS CHILD'S PLAY!
"IXIS SET ABOUT THEIR SCHEME--
--ONE THAT WOULD INVOLVE CONTROLLING THE ALREADY STRAINED EMOTIONS OF A LOST CONTIGENT OF OVER-LANDER GROUND TROOPS!"


"DID IXIS KNOW THAT KODOS, HIS TROOPS, AND MYSELF WOULD RUN INTO THE LOST SOLDIERS WHILE PERFORMING AN ENVIRONMENTAL SURVEY OF THE GREAT FOREST?
"DID KODOS?
"IT WAS CERTAINLY ODD THAT HIS ARMED TROOPS SHOULD CHOOSE TO ACCOMPANY ME ON THIS OCCASION...
"MY PEOPLE AREN'T KNOWN FOR TRYING TO SETTLE ARGUMENTS PEACEFULLY...
"...AND, WELL, NEITHER ARE YOURS!
"YOU CAN GUESS WHAT HAPPENED!"

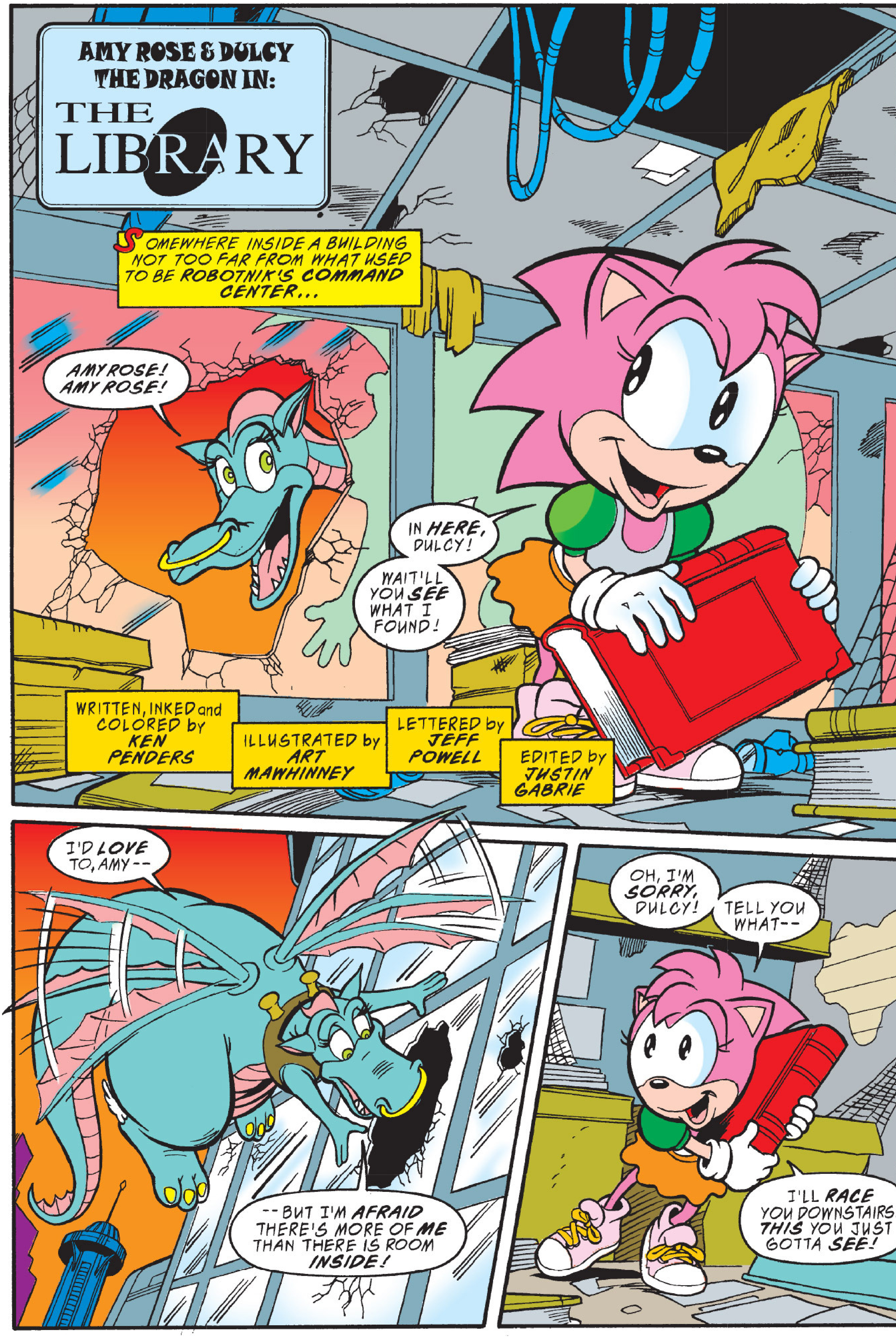

"THE SIGHTS AND SOUNDS OF THE BATTLE MUST HAVE BEEN HEARD AS FAR AWAY AS CASTLE ACORN...
"...BECAUSE THE NEXT THING I RECALL WAS SEEING KING MAX, DOCTOR HORATIO QUACK, AND A TEAM OF MEDICS COMING THROUGH THE SMOKE.
"THAT WAS THE LAST TIME I WAS GLAD TO SEE A MOBIAN!
"FROM HIS BEDSIDE, THE WOUNDED KODOS TOLD THE KING THAT IT WAS I WHO REVEALED THE LOCATION OF THE KINGDOM TO THE OVERLANDERS.
"IXIS WAS QUICK TO BACK HIM UP IN HIS LIES!
"KING MAX AND QUEEN ALICIA WERE TORN--I HAD BOUNCED HIM ON MY KNEE WHEN HE WAS LITTLE...
"...BUT THAT DIDN'T BELIE THE FACT THAT KODOS AND I WERE THE ONLY SURVIVORS OF THE SKIRMISH. IT WAS A TERRIBLE DAY...
"I WOULD BEAR SCARS, INNER AND OUTER FROM THOSE EVENTS.
"I EXILED MYSELF THIS TIME--I HAD CAUSED ENOUGH PROBLEMS FOR OVERLANDER AND MOBIAN ALIKE!
"YES...IT WAS A TERRIBLE DAY FOR US ALL...

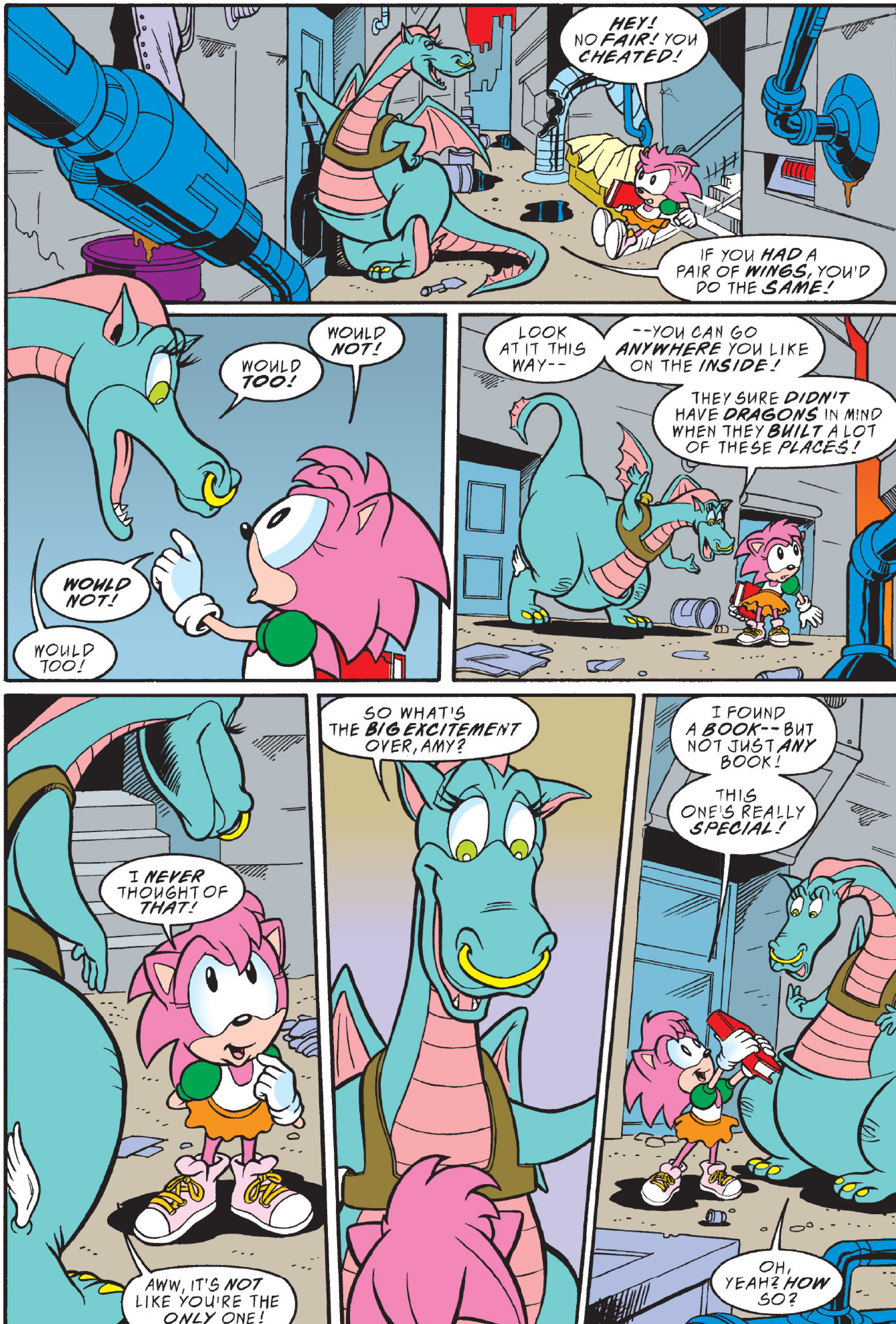

"I HADN'T GONE VERY FAR IN MY TRAVELS WHEN I, BY PURE ACCIDENT, STUMBLED DOWN THE HOLLOW STUMP OF A ONCE PROUD OAK...
"...AND FOUND MYSELF IN AN UNDERGROUND GROTTO LEADING TO A HIDDEN VALLEY NEATLY TUCKED AWAY BENEATH THE THICK EXPANSE OF UNDERBRUSH.
"I COULD HAVE LIVED OUT THE REST OF MY DAYS IN THAT IDYLLIC SETTING...
"...BUT I DIDN'T. HOWEVER. BEFORE MAKING MY WAY BACK UP THROUGH THAT SUBTLE KNOTHOLE IN THE FOREST FLOOR, I LEFT A MOMENTO WITHIN MY LOST WORLD.
"THE RING TECHNOLOGY WAS TOO POWERFUL A FORCE -- BEINGS LIKE IXIS AND KODOS WOULD SEEK TO EXPLOIT IT FOR THEIR OWN SELFISH PURPOSES.
"SO, I DROPPED THE RING-FORGE INTO A DEEP, MURKY LAKE WHERE NO ONE WOULD EVER FIND IT.
SPLOOSH!
"FOR MANY SEASONS I TRUDGED ONWARD UNTIL I CAME TO THE SNOWY WASTELANDS OF THE SOUTHERN TUNDRA.
"DID YOU KNOW THAT THE TEMPERATURE HERE, AT THE BOTTOM OF THE WORLD, ALWAYS REMAINS BELOW ZERO DEGREES FAHRENHEIT? I HAD BECOME SO NUMB FROM THE PAIN OF MY PAST THAT I HARDLY FELT IT.
ROWRGH!
"BUT WAS I NUMB ENOUGH?
"AMONG THE OVERLANDERS, THERE HAD BEEN WHISPERS OF MUTATES THAT HAD BEEN CREATED AS A RESULT OF THE 'DAYS OF FURY' THAT OCCURRED CENTURIES PAST.
"THERE WAS NO DOUBT IN MY MIND THAT THE SNOW-BEAST TRAPPED BENEATH THE FALLEN AVALANCHE WAS SUCH A CREATURE...
"...BUT TO HEAR ITS ANGUISHED VOICE ...TO SEE ITS PLEADING EYES CONFIRMED TO ME THAT PAIN WAS REAL TO IT AS IT WAS TO ANY MOBIAN OR OVERLANDER.
"BUT I HAD SWORN TO NEVER INVOLVE MYSELF IN THE AFFAIRS OF EITHER GROUP...
"...HADN'T I?"

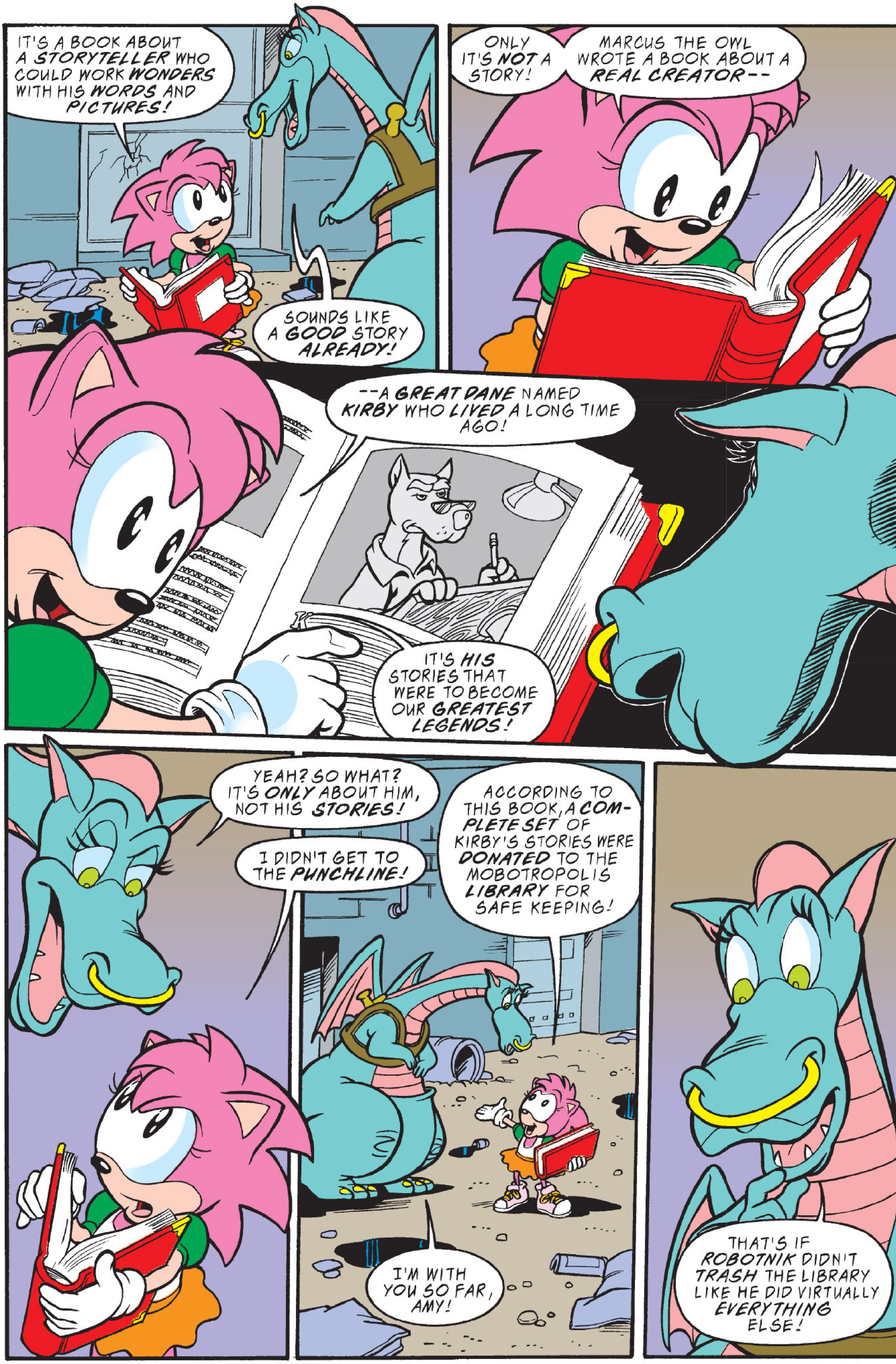


BUT ON THAT DAY, I LISTENED TO MY CONSCIENCE AGAIN AND I NOT ONLY SAVED A LIFE...
...BUT I GAINED A TRUE FRIEND WHO HAS BEEN AT MY SIDE EVER SINCE.
"MY ONE WEAKNESS HAD ALWAYS BEEN THAT I WAS A SCIENTIST WHO FOLLOWED HIS HEART AND NOT HIS BRAIN; THAT CHOICE WOULD OFTEN LEAD ME INTO DISASTER.
"WE BUILT THIS CASTLE--OUR HOME--FLAGSTONE BY FLAGSTONE AND LIVED HERE IN PEACE UNTIL IXIS TRIED TO BREACH ITS MYSTICAL DEFENSES EARLIER!
DON'T YOU GET IT, NATE? YOU'RE THE ANSWER TO A WHOLE MESS O' RIDDLES WE'VE BEEN ASKIN' OURSELVES FOR YEARS!
BUT IT DOESN'T EXPLAIN WHY IXE WOULD COME ALL THE WAY HERE GUNNIN' (OR MAGIC WANDIN') FOR YOU NOW! AFTER ALL, DIDN'T HE GET YOU OUTTA THE PICTURE YEARS AGO?
IXE, AS YOU REFER TO HIM, DID RID HIMSELF OF ME BACK THEN--HE SAW ME AS A THREAT TO HIS CONTINUED POSITION AS ROYAL WIZARD. HE FEARED MY SCIENCE WOULD REPLACE HIS MAGIC!
BUT NOW... NOW I HAVE SOMETHING THE FIEND WANTS ALL TO HIMSELF.
LIKE WHAT?

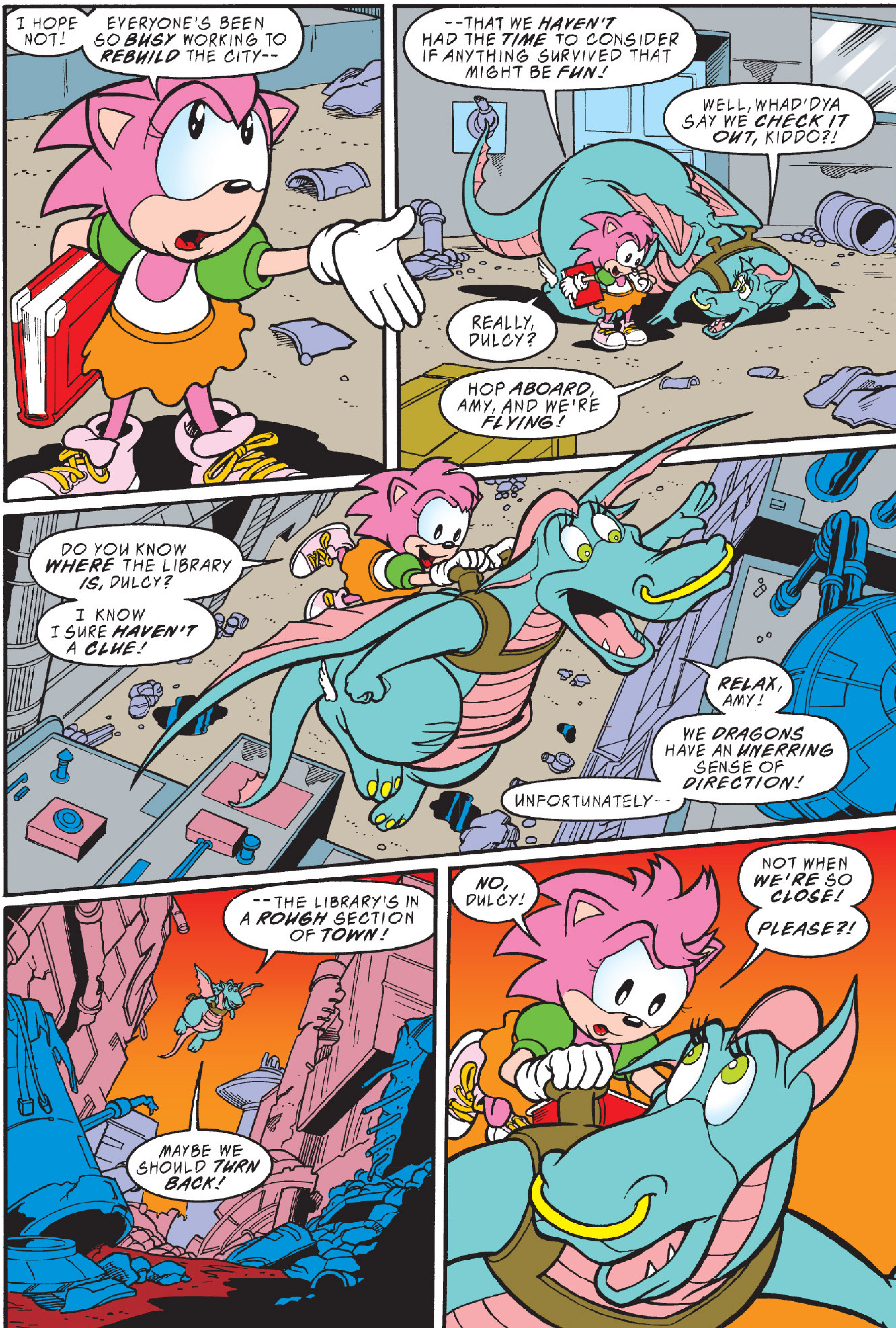

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HOLD IT! DON'T SAY ANOTHER WORD! I THINK I'VE GOT THIS ONE SEWN UP!
DON'T MISS THE SENSES-SHATTERING CONCLUSION TO THE "IXIS NAUGUS TRILOGY"! IT'S SURE TO ROCK YOUR WORLD (NOT TO MENTION PLANET MOBIUS)! BE THERE!

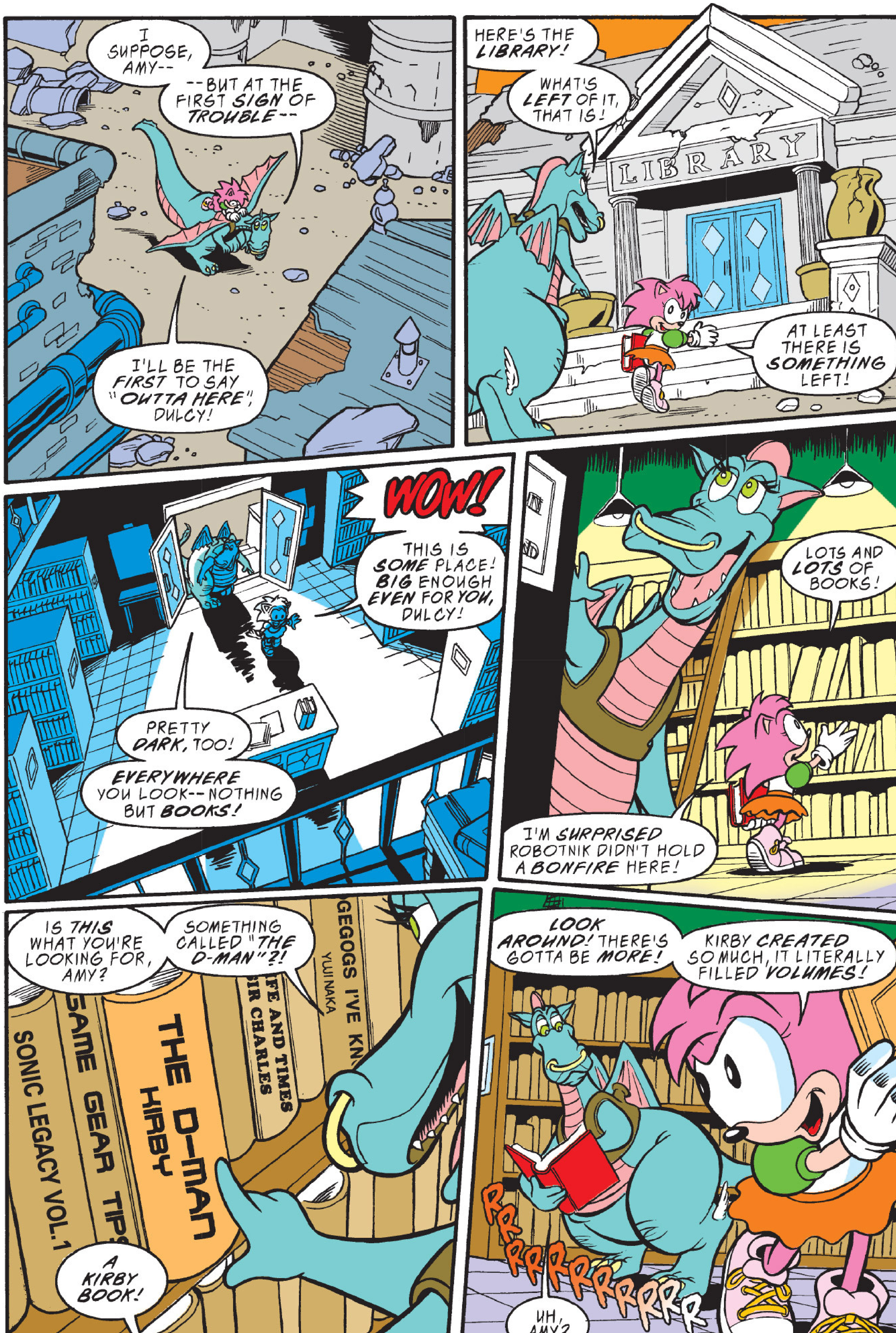

AMY ROSE & DULCY THE DRAGON IN:
THE LIBRARY
SOMEWHERE INSIDE A BUILDING NOT TOO FAR FROM WHAT USED TO BE ROBOTNIK'S COMMAND CENTER...
AMY ROSE! AMY ROSE!
IN HERE, DULCY!
WAIT'LL YOU SEE WHAT I FOUND!
WRITTEN, INKED and COLORED by KEN PENDERS
ILLUSTRATED by ART MAWHINNEY
LETTERED by JEFF POWELL
EDITED by JUSTIN GABRIE
I'D LOVE TO, AMY--
--BUT I'M AFRAID THERE'S MORE OF ME THAN THERE IS ROOM INSIDE!
OH, I'M SORRY, DULCY!
TELL YOU WHAT--
I'LL RACE YOU DOWNSTAIRS! THIS YOU JUST GOTTA SEE!

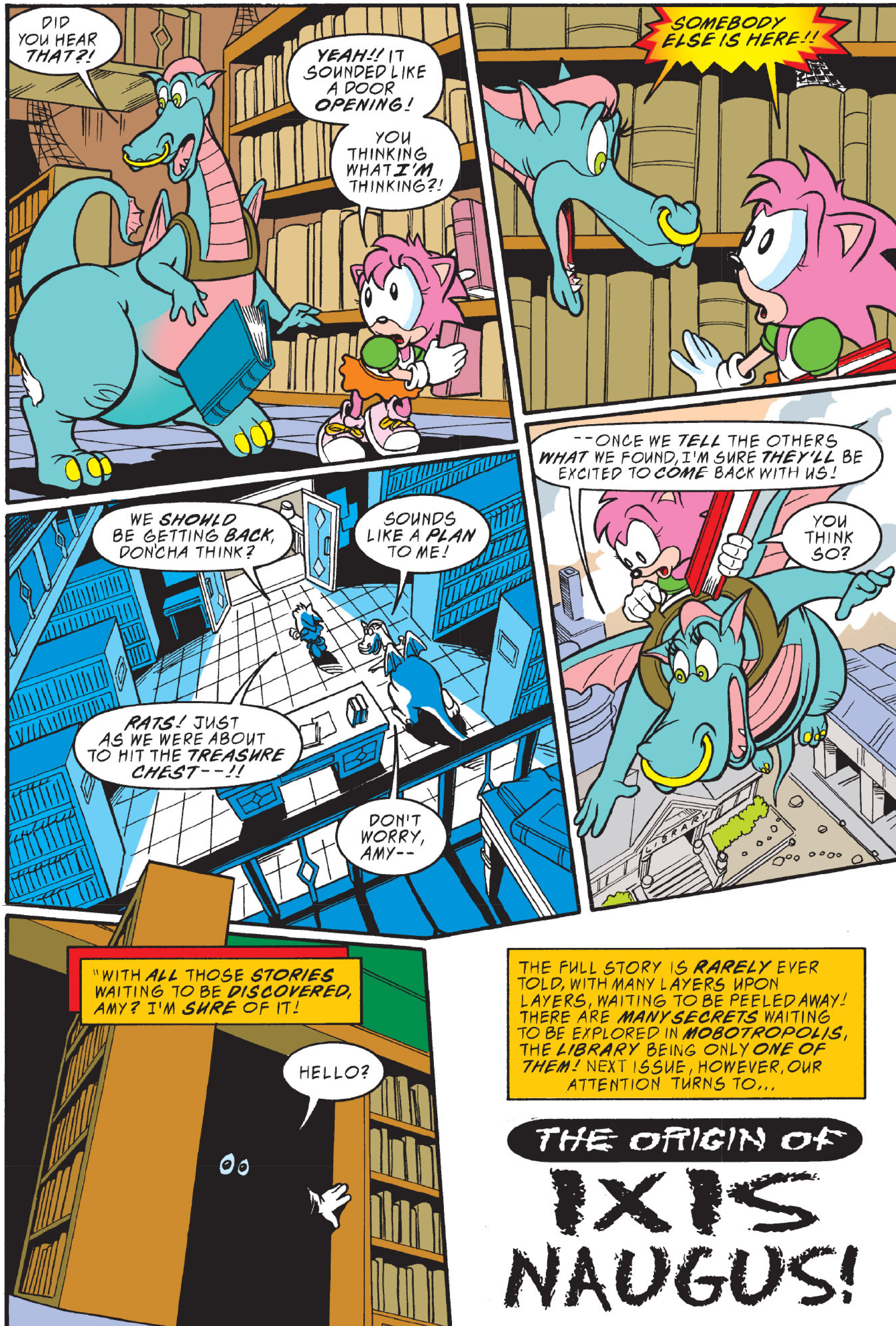

HEY! NO FAIR! YOU CHEATED!
IF YOU HAD A PAIR OF WINGS, YOU'D DO THE SAME!
WOULD NOT!
WOULD TOO!
WOULD NOT!
WOULD TOO!
LOOK AT IT THIS WAY--
--YOU CAN GO ANYWHERE YOU LIKE ON THE INSIDE!
THEY SURE DIDN'T HAVE DRAGONS IN MIND WHEN THEY BUILT A LOT OF THESE PLACES!
I NEVER THOUGHT OF THAT!
AWW, IT'S NOT LIKE YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE!
SO WHAT'S THE BIG EXCITEMENT OVER, AMY?
I FOUND A BOOK--BUT NOT JUST ANY BOOK!
THIS ONE'S REALLY SPECIAL!
OH, YEAH? HOW SO?


IT'S A BOOK ABOUT A STORYTELLER WHO COULD WORK WONDERS WITH HIS WORDS AND PICTURES!
SOUNDS LIKE A GOOD STORY ALREADY!
ONLY IT'S NOT A STORY!
MARCUS THE OWL WROTE A BOOK ABOUT A REAL CREATOR--
--A GREAT DANE NAMED KIRBY WHO LIVED A LONG TIME AGO!
IT'S HIS STORIES THAT WERE TO BECOME OUR GREATEST LEGENDS!
YEAH? SO WHAT? IT'S ONLY ABOUT HIM, NOT HIS STORIES!
I DIDN'T GET TO THE PUNCHLINE!
ACCORDING TO THIS BOOK, A COMPLETE SET OF KIRBY'S STORIES WERE DONATED TO THE MOBOTROPOLIS LIBRARY FOR SAFE KEEPING!
I'M WITH YOU SO FAR, AMY!
THAT'S IF ROBOTNIK DIDN'T TRASH THE LIBRARY LIKE HE DID VIRTUALLY EVERYTHING ELSE!


I HOPE NOT!
EVERYONE'S BEEN SO BUSY WORKING TO REBUILD THE CITY--
--THAT WE HAVEN'T HAD THE TIME TO CONSIDER IF ANYTHING SURVIVED THAT MIGHT BE FUN!
WELL, WHAD'DYA SAY WE CHECK IT OUT, KIDDO?!
REALLY, DULCY?
HOP ABOARD, AMY, AND WE'RE FLYING!
DO YOU KNOW WHERE THE LIBRARY IS, DULCY?
I KNOW I SURE HAVEN'T A CLUE!
RELAX, AMY!
WE DRAGONS HAVE AN UNERRING SENSE OF DIRECTION!
UNFORTUNATELY--
--THE LIBRARY'S IN A ROUGH SECTION OF TOWN!
MAYBE WE SHOULD TURN BACK!
NO, DULCY!
NOT WHEN WE'RE SO CLOSE!
PLEASE?!


I SUPPOSE, AMY--
--BUT AT THE FIRST SIGN OF TROUBLE--
I'LL BE THE FIRST TO SAY "OUTTA HERE", DULCY!
HERE'S THE LIBRARY!
WHAT'S LEFT OF IT, THAT IS!
LIBRARY
AT LEAST THERE IS SOMETHING LEFT!
WOW!
THIS IS SOME PLACE! BIG ENOUGH EVEN FOR YOU, DULCY!
PRETTY DARK, TOO!
EVERYWHERE YOU LOOK--NOTHING BUT BOOKS!
LOTS AND LOTS OF BOOKS!
I'M SURPRISED ROBOTNIK DIDN'T HOLD A BONFIRE HERE!
IS THIS WHAT YOU'RE LOOKING FOR, AMY?
SOMETHING CALLED "THE D-MAN"?!
SONIC LEGACY VOL. 1
GAME GEAR TIPS
THE D-MAN
KIRBY
LIFE AND TIMES SIR CHARLES
GEGOGS I'VE KN
YUJI NAKA
A KIRBY BOOK!
LOOK AROUND! THERE'S GOTTA BE MORE!
KIRBY CREATED SO MUCH, IT LITERALLY FILLED VOLUMES!
RRRRRRRRRRRRR
UH, AMY?


DID YOU HEAR THAT?!
YEAH!! IT SOUNDED LIKE A DOOR OPENING!
YOU THINKING WHAT I'M THINKING?!
SOMEBODY ELSE IS HERE!!
WE SHOULD BE GETTING BACK, DON'CHA THINK?
SOUNDS LIKE A PLAN TO ME!
RATS! JUST AS WE WERE ABOUT TO HIT THE TREASURE CHEST--!!
DON'T WORRY, AMY--
--ONCE WE TELL THE OTHERS WHAT WE FOUND, I'M SURE THEY'LL BE EXCITED TO COME BACK WITH US!
YOU THINK SO?
LIBRARY
"WITH ALL THOSE STORIES WAITING TO BE DISCOVERED, AMY? I'M SURE OF IT!
HELLO?
THE FULL STORY IS RARELY EVER TOLD, WITH MANY LAYERS UPON LAYERS, WAITING TO BE PEELED AWAY! THERE ARE MANY SECRETS WAITING TO BE EXPLORED IN MOBOTROPOLIS, THE LIBRARY BEING ONLY ONE OF THEM! NEXT ISSUE, HOWEVER, OUR ATTENTION TURNS TO...
THE ORIGIN OF
IXIS NAUGUS!


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